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CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY THEATRE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES ITS FALL 1985 SEASON...

ALICE UNDERGROUND AND ANTIGONE, TWO ORIGINALS PERFORMED BY CONCORDIA
STUDENTS.

This years season starts with an exciting new adaptation of the ANTIGONE story, drawn from Sophocles' classic and the interpretation of Brecht, Anouilh and others, using larger than life "totem-like" figures. ANTIGONE will be directed by guest professional director Felix Mirbt assisted by faculty member Ralph Allison (who directed THE BUNDLE last year). Mr. Mirbt is a director famous for combining large puppets and actors in such shows as LE SONGE, WOYCZEK and HAPPY END. ANTIGONE will be performed for the D.B. Clarke Theatre in the Hall Building, 1455 de Maisonneuve Blvd. West, December 3 to 8 and 12 to 14.

Opening one week later will be <u>ALICE UNDERGROUND</u>, an interpretation of Lewis Carroll's <u>ALICE IN WONDERLAND</u> Director Gerry Gross has prepared a script that, while presenting the familiar story, also satirizes some of the critical material written about this famous children's book. Gross intends that the students cast in the show will be stimulated by these "excesses of critical pedantry" in developing their characters creatively. <u>ALICE UNDERGROUND</u> will be presented in the Chameleon Studio, on the Loyola Campus, 7141 Sherbrooke St. W., December 10 to 14.

For information on special bookings, matinees, interviews and press reservations, call Concordia Theatre Department at 848-4747.

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